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Chief's Run promotes unity within the community and department

On Wednesday, April 21, 2010 the 78 cadets of the Austin Police Department's 116th Cadet Class will participate in the 9th Annual Chief's Run.

Chief of Police Art Acevedo will join the cadets in a run that will begin at 7:00 a.m. at the Texas Peace Officers Memorial on the State Capitol grounds. The traditional Chief's Run focuses on unity within the community and department, and will feature an address to the cadets by Chief Acevedo followed by a walk in formation to the south exit of the Capitol grounds at 11th Street and Congress Avenue. Assistant Chiefs, Command Staff and Training Academy personnel will run with the cadets southbound on Congress Avenue in formation across the Congress Avenue Bridge to Riverside Drive. The run will conclude at Auditorium Shores.

The cadets will be commissioned during graduation ceremonies on Friday, April 23, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. at the Austin Convention Center Ballroom A, 500 E. Cesar Chavez St.

Media Advisory: APD cadets and personnel will be available for interviews before and after the run.

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